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Told By a Philadelphia Lawyer.

This is an after-dinner story told by a well-known Philadelphia lawyer the other evening illustrative of legal difficulties that may arise in the carrying out of the most amicable contracts.

"There were once four brothers who had inherited a storage warehouse from their father, and who equally divided the property among them. Among the appurtenances thereto was a cat, a fine animal, excellent for mousing, and this, too, was divided, the elder brother owning the right front quarter, the second brother the left front quarter, and two younger brothers the two hind quarters. Now unfortunately the cat in one of its nocturnal prowls injured the right front paw and the elder brother attended to that portion of his property by binding the injured member with a greased rag. The cat, thankful for this relief to its suffering, went to sleep contentedly before the fire, but in the midst of its slumbers a falling coal ignited the rag, and the animal howling with agony, dashed through the ware house, and coming in contact with some of the combustibles, set the building on fire.

"When the loss came to be figured out the three younger brothers wished to throw it all upon the elder, upon the ground that he had not tied up his part of the cat with the inflammable rag the building would not have been destroyed. He, on the contrary, contended that had the cat been only possessed of the front right paw, his property, it would have stood still and burned to death. It was the three other paws that caused the damage. The elder brother argued the case until they died, but could never reach an agreement."—Philadelphia Record.

Doctors' Right of Way.

Over 800 physicians of Chicago have already taken advantage of an ordinance passed by the Council a few weeks ago giving them the right of way on the streets and over bridges ahead of processions, parades, fire lines, and other obstructions that usually stop their ordinary traffic. Each of the physicians applying has been furnished with a badge and a special permit, which entitles him to the privileges of the ordinance and demonstrate his authority.

The badge is a very pretty affair, about the size of a quarter, and is made of German silver in the form of a circle 3-16 of an inch wide, around a red cross in the center. The cross is of red enamel, and the circle of white.

The ordinance also applies to ambulances, and is made to include all physicians driving in answer to professional calls, to fires or accidents. It is designed to afford relief as quickly as possible to people who require the services of a physician. The permits are signed by the Mayor and City Clerk, and the badges are issued from the City Clerk's office on the payment of a 50-cent fee. The ordinance has been effective about one month, and the number of doctors using the privileges granted them will soon reach 1,000, demonstrating the popularity of the ordinance and its provisions.

Tough Job For Small Men.

The occupation of a boiler inspector is one in which a man cannot grow fat without losing his job, and perhaps is a funny business in that respect. Each boiler inspected is drained of its contents, and then the inspector rigs himself for a dirty job, and wriggles himself into the inside of it through the manhole. This aperture cannot well be made large enough to admit a large man, hence the smallest sized fellows have the monopoly of the business. But though that fact may be funny, the business itself, getting into dirty and stifling places, and wriggling like a human worm into every hole and corner to know its condition, is anything but fun. The most scrupulous care is required in these examinations, and as everything is out of sight, the insurance company have to depend wholly upon the trustworthiness of their men. Hence these get pay that makes amends for all they have to undergo, sufficient, indeed to keep them from getting too big for their business.—Lexington Saturday Journal.

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EXCLUSION OF AMERICAN CATTLE.

Talk of a Policy of Retaliation Against the French Government.

Washington, May 5.—Nowhere in the whole correspondence which the United States had during the last year with the countries of Europe, which correspondence is just now becoming public property through advance sheets of the United States red book, is there exhibited a more vigorous insistence upon the rights of Americans than in the course of the negotiations with France respecting the exclusion by the Government of that country of American cattle. The President himself dictated a small but most important portion of the correspondence in its earlier stages, and the concluding chapters, contributed by Secretary Olney, sweep away like cobwebs the specious explanations put forward to justify the exclusion, and make it plain that retaliation may be expected if the unjust restrictions are not abated or justified.

As far back as March of last year, just after the fact that the exclusion ordered had been issued was made known to the State Department through Mr. Vignaud, our Charge at Paris, Secretary Gresham cabled that officer that he had failed to state the reason for its issue; that the Secretary of Agriculture had asserted that our cattle were entirely free from disease and that in "view of these statements, the President directs that you inform the French Government that the United States regards this prohibition as needless and unfriendly interference with an important branch of legitimate trade and that you remonstrate against its enforcement."

The Charge was apparently dismayed at the strength of the message, and sought to delay its delivery until an opportunity could be had to consider the propriety of modifying it, on account of other factors entering into the negotiations; but another cable message from Secretary Gresham, three days later, left him no recourse, and when he did submit it, even the French Minister of Foreign Affairs, who happened to be then, as now, in office admitted "that the protest was a little fiery." Negotiations at length ensued, in the course of which our Ambassador, Mr. Eustis, by instruction of the State Department, pressed the French Government for a statement of its reasons for the issue of the order of exclusion, and when showed that these reasons were not based on actual bona fide cases of disease in any American cattle that had entered France, but apparently were founded on desire to exclude American cattle from competition with the French farmers.

Finally Secretary Olney summed up the position of his Government in a letter dated October 12 last, showing that the French argument was based almost entirely upon newspaper publications; that that Government had a strong ground for complaint on that score in view of the care it had exercised to secure the inspection of the cattle exported, and finally winding up by an intimation that if the French Government persisted in regarding it as necessary for the protection of their cattle to exclude the herds from the United States, the same process of reasoning would make it equally essential to the protection of the cattle of the United States that French cattle, especially the Norman breed, which is now attracting so much attention here, should be excluded from the United States.

From the correspondence, which soon after this passage, it appears that the Secretary was prevented from making good this implied threat only owing to representatives of the new French Ministry would be more favorable to the United States.

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MASONRY.

And Theosophy Have Need of Each Other, Says Dr. Buck.

Dr. J. D. Buck, the eminent Theosophist, addressed a large audience in the Theosophical Hall, Lincoln Inn Court Building, last night. He took for his subject "Initiations: True and False, Ancient and Modern Mysteries." In part the speaker said: True Initiation is the acquisition of the knowledge and powers of the human soul. In the ancient mysteries this knowledge was represented in a most dramatic manner, and the initiate was progressively instructed in the philosophy underlying all such drama. Initiation can only be accomplished by mastery over one's self. The initiation of a masonic candidate in Belgium to-day is a very near approach to the ancient methods. The candidate must do some interior work to develop character and moral intellect before being passed along to the higher degrees. In ancient times all this was more necessary, as we may learn to some extent from the writings of Plato, Pythagoras, etc. The ultimate perfectibility of man, the immortality of the soul, the meaning of death, all such mysteries were a part of the lesser mysteries.

Masonry, in which are preserved the symbols and methods of initiation of all ages, teaches also the immortality of the soul. No atheist can be a Mason. In Theosophy is preserved the philosophy of all the ages, and therefore Masonry and Theosophy have need of each other. Thus one object for the new "school for the revival of the lost mystery of antiquity" will teach Masons the philosophy of Masonry, and it will teach Theosophists practical occultism, all based on the higher brotherhood of man and the higher evolution of the human soul.—Commercial Gazette.

Testing Seed Corn.

It is rarely safe to plant corn that has not been tested for its germinating quality. Farmers generally try it by planting in boxes of earth, but there is a more simple and better way. Take a common dinner plate and fit two or three pieces of thick woolen cloth in the bottom. Over this cloth lay the corn to be tested, not less than 100 kernels—evenly distributed. Pour in enough warm water to cover the cloth. Then lay another thick woolen cloth and lay it over the corn. Set the plate in a warm place, and conditions are as favorable for germination as one could wish. The upper cloth will keep moist as long as there is any water in the plate. It does not dry out so quickly as the soil in a box of earth. Another advantage is that you may turn back the upper cloth as often as you please and see what progress the corn is making, and no harm will be done. The test may be carried on in the sitting room if necessary, and everything about it is neat and clean.

As soon as a third or more of the grains are well sprouted, they may be counted and thrown out, to make more room for the others. When the seeds that had vitality have sprouted, those that remain may be counted, and the percentage of growing grains easily calculated. It should be remembered, however, that one cannot expect more than a per cent to grow in the field as in a test made under such favorable conditions. Also that the poorer the seed corn the wider will be such difference. If seed is so perfect that 100 per cent. will grow in the field it cannot deviate from 100 per cent. test. But seed corn may have a low vitality in some of its grains, so that in a favorable trial 50 or 60 per cent. of it might sprout, when not above 10 per cent. would grow in the field. Seed corn preserved over winter in the ear is in the best condition for making the test. Do not take all the test corn from a single ear, but take a single kernel from a central part of one hundred ears, and from ears taken from different parts of the bin, and you have a fair sample of the whole stock.—American Agriculturist.

Will Use Typewriters.

The Morning Herald and Evening Leader, of Lexington, have bought three Linotype machines, formerly used by the Daily News, of Louisville, and will put them in their composing rooms at Lexington and jointly make use of them.

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A few years ago, Mr. J. W. Gallaher, was an extensive, successful expert manufacturer of lumber products. Attacked with epilepsy, he was obliged to give up his business. The attacks came upon him most frequently. One time falling from a cart, he was thrown down, and often in the street. Once he fell down a shaft in the mill, his injuries nearly proving fatal. Mr. Gallaher writes from Milwaukee, Feb. 14, '96.



"There are some more miserable than epilepsy. For 20 years I suffered with epileptic fits, having as high as five in one night. I tried any number of physicians, paying to one almost a fee of \$100 and have done little for years but search for something to help me, and have taken all the leading remedies, but received no benefit. A year ago my son, Chas. A. Gallaher, druggist at 101 Reed St., Milwaukee, gave me Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerveine, and I tried it with gratifying results. Have had but two fits since I began taking it. I am better now in every way than I have been in 20 years."

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To The Public. On February 1st I opened a Real Estate Office, and will appreciate any business that you may entrust to me. I will give particular attention to the sale and rental of City Property. I also have \$25,000 that I would like to loan on first mortgage at a low rate of interest. Assuring you that any business entrusted to me will have the most careful attention, I am Yours very truly, **W. C. HOFFMAN.** Office with Hoffman's Insurance Agency, Traders Deposit Bank Building.

PERSONAL MENTION.

W. T. Moore is on Red river looking after his lumber interests.

Mrs. Thomas Matlack, of Covington, is visiting Miss Rebecca Wilson.

Wm. Mitchell, of Mt. Pleasant, Ill., is visiting the family of J. C. Turley.

Green Clay will leave Wednesday for Raton, New Mexico, in search of health.

Mrs. Wm. McCormick, of Lexington, is the guest of her father's family in this city.

Mr. John G. Wilson will go to Cincinnati Wednesday to have his eyes treated by a specialist.

Misses Berkley and Emma Wilkinson will visit their sister, Mrs. D. M. Reed, at Ford next Friday.

Mr. Robert Marshall returned on Saturday evening from Cincinnati, where he had been called to the bedside of his sister.

Miss Anna Butler, a most charming young woman, of La Place, La., is spending some weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Minerva Williams.

Dr. Louis Landman, the Cincinnati Oculian, will be in Mt. Sterling, Thursday. He can be found at Mr. J. H. Oldham's boarding house.

Miss Pulard, teacher of languages in Georgetown Female College, and Miss Bettie Hauser, of Winchester, visited Miss Lella Anderson this week.

News received from Judge Cooper, who is at Hot Springs, Arkansas, is to the effect that his health is steadily improving and his complete recovery is probable.

Mrs. Capt. Carmichael, of Louisville, stopped over in this city Saturday enroute to her home, after a week's sojourn with her father, Mr. Wm. Moore, in Bath county.

Sheriff Wm. Sleds and wife left yesterday for a ten days fishing trip to Licking. They expect to make Clayton's Springs, in Bath county, their headquarters while they are gone.

Judge James Flanagan, Miss Nancy Spencer, of Winchester, and Mrs. W. R. Cockrell and sister, Miss Alice McCormick, of Lexington, attended the funeral of Mr. J. D. Wilson last week.

Eloped.

Bob Case, a married man, and Lilly Pierce, a young woman of this city, eloped last week and are said to have gone to Oklahoma. Case left a young wife (a daughter of Peter Lee), who since her husband's departure has given birth to twins. Case, it is said, forged a check for \$25 on his father-in-law before his departure.

All the testimony has been heard in the famous Scott Jackson case at Covington. The lawyers began speaking yesterday and the jury will probably get the case some time to-day.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Grassy Lick.

W. N. Ramsey and wife, of Winchester, were visiting their son William last week.

Dr. Johnston preached two excellent sermons on Sunday morning and evening to large congregations.

A. W. Stofer was unfortunate last week in losing two valuable horses, one died from colic and the other was snagged.

Mrs. James E. Gay made her scholars bappy by taking them on a fishing excursion on last Saturday to Stoner creek. They were not burdened by carrying a load of fish home, but had a good time.

Farmers are all wearing long faces on account of the continued drouth, which has affected vegetation in all forms. Early planting of corn seems to be standing the drouth better than wheat, oats and grasses. Tobacco plants not doing much good. A great many are too small to set when season will admit.

Father and Son Convicted of Murder.

O. C. Russell and his son, Shan Russell, prominent citizens of London county, Tenn, have been convicted of murder in the first degree. They, in company with another who escaped, shot and killed J. B. Tipton, a well-known farmer, last February.

There will be an excursion from here and Winchester to Natural Bridge on the Eastern and Lexington R. R. June 9th, \$1.00 for the roundtrip. It will be a picnic of the old time kind.

The Pepper Horses at Auction.

The Security Trust and Safety Vault Company, assignee of James E. Pepper, has assigned to Woodard & Simankland to be sold in the firm's sale at Morris Park this month all of his race horses in training, including The Dragon, Meadowthorpe, Brendoo, Rellet and others—Lexington Herald

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An Exchange of Pulpits.

Rev. F. J. Cheek, of Paris, was in the city Friday visiting his friend, Rev. A. J. Arrick. Mr. Cheek left Friday afternoon for Sharpsburg, where he preached Saturday and Sunday morning. Sunday evening Doctor Cheek exchanged pulpits with Mr. Arrick, he coming here and conducting the evening service and Brother Arrick taking his place in Sharpsburg for the evening service there.

Nethersole's Rival.

She is sweet sixteen, and she says the first time her sweetheart kissed her (made her feel like a tub of butter swimming in honey, cologne, antiseptic and cranberries, as though something ran down her nerves on feet of diamonds escorted by several cupids in chariots drawn by angels shaded with honeyuckle, and the whole spread with a melted rainbow.

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Cul. G. W. Bain, of Lexington, will deliver one of his most popular lectures Sunday evening next at the Christian church. It will be for the benefit of the Rescue Home, of Lexington a worthy object. The lecture will be free but a collection will be taken. Mr. Bain one of the finest lecturers and the mention of time and place is guarantee of a large crowd.

Mrs. Pa'sy Treadway, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Virgil Kavanaugh, at Columbus, Indiana, returned home Wednesday.

It is estimated that the Cuban war is costing Spain \$100,000,000 in coal each and 10,000 men annually.

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DeGarmo-Fletcher.

Mr. C. T. DeGarmo and Miss Mayme Catherine Fletcher were married at the Methodist parsonage last Tuesday evening, Rev. C. J. Nugent officiating. The marriage of this young couple was a complete surprise to all their friends. Not even the near relatives of either being in the secret. Mr. DeGarmo is connected with the Journal and has made many friends during his stay in this city. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fletcher and is a very handsome and popular young lady. The Advocate extends congratulations.

H. H. Holmes, the multi-murderer, was hanged at Moyamensing Prison, Philadelphia, Thursday morning at 10:12 o'clock. On the scaffold Holmes made a short statement denying the truth of his former confessions and claiming that only two persons had died at his hands and these were women killed unwittingly while undergoing criminal operations. Holmes was the coolest man on the scaffold.

ROSSINGTON,

Sired by WASHINGTON, famous saddle horse. 1 dam by Beauty; 2 dams by Blue Grass. ROSSINGTON is a beautiful sorrel, four years old, sound and a fine saddle horse. **\$10 to Insure a Living Colt.** This stallion, the property of Dr. R. Q. Drake, will make the season in charge of R. W. Brown on the Green W. Case place, 2 1/2 miles from Mt. Sterling on Howard's Mill dirt road. A lien retained on colts for service money. (2nd-July 1) ED. W. BROWN, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

G. H. STROTHER, Contracting Plasterer, —AND DEALER IN— Acme CEMENT. —SPECIAL LOW PRICES IN CAR LOADS— To close the partnership of Barnes & Trumbo all coal will be sold low for cash. All those indebted to the firm are requested to call and settle same on or before. J. E. TRUMBO, Surviving Partner. 42-2t

The Appellate Division of the New York Supreme Court has decided that the Raines Exclusion law is constitutional.

The once famous Guin-pa group of mines in Mexico, have been reopened and rich ore is said to have been found.

The Massachusetts State census shows a total population of 2,500,183, the females exceeding the males by 71,000.

A cycle cleaning brigade is proposed for London, the boys to be stationed at street corners like the boot-blacks.

There is talk at Cleveland, O., of calling Rev. W. N. Cleveland, the President's brother, to the pastorate of the Cavalry Baptist Church.

Thinking it was a British lion, Frederick Schmidt, a patriotic German, twisted an animal's tail in a circus at Chicago, Ill., and was locked up for his offense.

William Paul, who was hanged in the State prison in Columbus, Ohio, for the murder of his father-in-law, declared his innocence on the scaffold and died bravely.

John Sandell Carey, the originator of the Land League, who served five years in jail for his connection with the Fenian movement, has just died at Mitchellstown.

The grand jury at New Orleans, La., has requested the production of original telegrams from the Western Union Company touching the Louisiana gubernatorial investigation.

Consumption Can Be Cured
by the use of Silloh's Cure. This great Cough Cure is the only known remedy for that terrible disease.

Two electric cars tried to pass in opposite directions on a single track in Bay City, Mich. Twelve cut and bruised passengers decided that the attempt was a smashing failure.

Eminent railroad managers in New York City are considering a proposition to build another story to the straddling lines and thus double the carrying capacity of the systems.

W. S. Kerr, who was recently nominated for Congress, from Columbia, Ohio, has certified that his nomination cost him \$1. Of this 50 cents was paid for railway fare, and 50 cents for hotel expenses.

A Baby's Life Saved.

"My baby had croup and was saved by Silloh's Cure," writes Mrs. J. B. Martin, of Huntsville, Ala. For sale by Thomas Kenney.

A mint is to be built at Soochow, China, for the coining of dollars and subsidiary coin. The machinery for the mint has been ordered in England. The Governor of the Province of Shanghai has contributed about \$35,000 towards the enterprise.

Bretton, in Baden, the birthplace of Melancthon, is considering the best means for celebrating the four hundredth anniversary of that famous reformer's birth, on Feb. 10, 1897. It is proposed to erect a Melancthon museum on the site of the house in which he was born.

A queer memorial window has just been accepted by Haverdine parish, England, the Rev. Stephen Gladstone, the rector, presided over the meeting. It is contributed by several Armenians to commemorate the sufferings and death of 30,000 Armenians under Turkish rule.

The report of the Superintendent of the San Francisco Mint shows that the output of gold in California increased from \$13,863,381 in 1894, to \$15,834,317 in 1895. Thirty-three of the fifty-seven counties of the State are regular producers of gold, and new mines are being discovered every year.

It is rather remarkable that for more than thirty-four years the Federal army has had no representative of the Lee family of Virginia. The succession in the service is to be renewed, however, by George Mason Lee, the nineteen-year-old son of Gen. Fitzhugh Lee. Young Lee will enter the West Point Military Academy in June next.

It is learned that Russia has induced China to make all her railroads under building in the northern part of the Flowery Kingdom four feet eleven inches wide, the width of the railroads in Russia. The advantages of this concession are apparent from the fact that in the future engines and trains of the great Siberian Railway can run over Chinese lines.

RETALIATION

Threatened If Franco Continues To Exclude Our Cattle.

Washington, D. C., May 5.—No where in the whole of the correspondence which the United States has had during the last year with the countries of Europe, which correspondence is just now becoming public property through advance sheets of the United States Red Book, is there exhibited a more vigorous insistence upon the rights of Americans than in the negotiations with France respecting the exclusion by the Government of that country of American cattle. The President himself dictated a small but most important portion of the correspondence in its earlier stages, and the concluding chapters contributed by Secretary Olney, sweep away like cobwebs the specious explanations put forward to justify the exclusion, and make it plain that retaliation may be expected if them just restrictions are not abated or justified.

From the correspondence, which closes soon after this passage, it appears that the Secretary was prevented from making good his threat only owing to representations that the new French Ministry will be more favorable to the United States.

Shot a White Deer.

The citizens of Crook county are much out on account of the slaying of a white deer, which has been roaming over that section for a number of years, and which was looked upon as a sort of mascot, and which no one would harm, until a short time since one Polidexter wantonly shot it.

This white deer was no myth, for its snowy hide is now in pickle in a taxidermist's shop in this city, and Game Protector McGuire is preparing, at the request of the people of Crook county, to make big trouble for Polidexter, who killed the animal about Feb. 1st, during the season when it was not lawful to shoot deer of any color. There have been many stories about this celebrated white deer, one of which was that Bertram had offered \$10,000 for the animal alone, and it is now said that Polidexter shot the deer to get \$300 for its skin. The people of Crook county generally are much enraged at the wanton slaughter of the deer, and collectively aver that they would not have had it killed for thousands of dollars. Many hunters have had opportunities to shoot the deer, but none would harm it. There is no question about the skin of the white deer being in the city, for Mr. McGuire has seen it, and has all the information necessary to convict Polidexter.—Morning Oregonian.

New Sleeping Car Line From Lexington.

On April 14 the C. & O. railway put on a through sleeper to Washington on F. F. V. train leaving Louisville 8:30 a. m. and Mt. Sterling 12:25 noon, daily, arriving Washington 6:50 a. m. and New York 12:50 noon next day. Returning trains leave New York 8 a. m., Washington 2:25 p. m. and arrives Mt. Sterling 4:05 a. m. and Louisville 11:15 a. m. This arrangement gives the people of Lexington and central Kentucky two daily sleeping car lines each way, and three hours quicker line to all Eastern cities. 37-11

Shortest Route to Louisville.

The distance from Lexington to Louisville has been greatly shortened by the Shelbyville "cut-off," just completed. C. & O. trains leaving Mt. Sterling at 7:55 a. m. and 4:50 p. m. daily, reach Louisville at 11 a. m. and 8:50 p. m. (2 hours and 45 minutes). The C. & O. now has the shortest line between Mt. Sterling and Louisville, is the only line with double daily fasted vestibule train service. Frakt and Shelbyville are the only points at which these trains stop. 37-11

The east bank of the Youghiogheey (Pa.) River was the scene of the baptism of sixty-three negroes, of all ages and sizes a few days ago. The immersion attracted over 3,000 persons. Rev. A. J. Tyler converted the sixty-three during the past five weeks. The men were all converted first, then came the children and finally the women. Two of the latter became so exhausted through their rejoicing that they fainted and created quite a commotion. It was fully two hours before the ceremony ended.

Dr. Miles' Pink Pills are guaranteed to stop Menstrual Pain in 20 minutes. "One case a day."

MANY BURIED ALIVE.

A Terrible Earthquake Felt in a Province of Ecuador.

Guayaquil, Ecuador, May 6.—The province of Manabi suffered terribly from earthquake in Puerto Viljo. Houses were thrown down, many persons were buried alive in the ruins and many others injured.

Southern Baptist Convention, at Chattanooga, Tenn.

Reduced rates via Southern Railway. For the occasion of the Southern Baptist Convention, which will convene at Chattanooga, Tenn., May 8 to 14, inclusive, the Southern railway will sell tickets to Chattanooga, Tenn., and return, at rate of one limited first-class fare for the round trip. Tickets will be sold May 5 to 6 inclusive, good to return fifteen days from date of sale, but limit on tickets may be extended, allowing fifteen days additional time, provided they are deposited with Joint Agent Chattanooga, on or before May 14, 1896.

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DID NOT VOTE FOR BRADLEY

Mr. Carlisle Spikes a Charge Made By Free Silver Democrats.

Lexington, Ky., May 5.—The free-silver Democrats have been charging for months that Secretary Carlisle voted for Gov. Bradley last fall, it not for the entire Republican ticket. In the Lexington Leader last Sunday there was a long article abusive of the Secretary, in which the statement was made that Mr. Carlisle had voted for Gov. Bradley; that it was an open secret and there was no doubt about it being true that he had voted for the entire State Democratic ticket. Judge Irving Halsey, of this city, who is an ardent admirer of Secretary Carlisle, and who was a delegate to the sound-money convention at Memphis, wrote the Secretary telling him of the charges made in the Leader and asking him if they were true. This morning Judge Halsey received the following telegram, which forever gives the lie to all such charges against the Secretary:

"Washington, D. C., May 5.—Irving Halsey, Lexington, Ky.: Your telegram is just received. The statement that I voted for Bradley or for any other candidate on the Republican ticket is absolutely false.

J. G. CARLISLE
Touching the market in New York the Herald sizes up the situation very neatly: "There is nobody in the horse business just now doing any worrying. It is many years since there was such a genuine demand for good horses, and at really good prices. This has been brought about mainly by three prime factors. First, the restriction in breeding operations, which are now beginning to tell; second, the fact that the numbers of those who can afford to buy and drive high-class horses is continually on the increase, and thirdly and lastly, everything that Americans are not smart enough to secure is gobbled up by agents for English and European firms."

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His Maiden Speech.

The rising young politician had prepared an elaborate speech for the occasion. He rose in response to loud calls for him and felt in his inside pocket for the manuscript. It was gone. It had slipped through a hole in the bottom.

The situation was a terrible one, but the self-possession of the rising young politician did not forsake him. Letting his hand remain in the breast of his coat he looked tearfully out over the assembly.

"My fellow citizens," he said, "I have no words in which to express my thanks for the honor you have done me in selecting me as one of your standard bearers in this campaign, and will simply ask you to join me."

He was interrupted by deafening cheers, in which the other orators on the platform heartily joined.

The situation was still more terrible. He had intended merely to propose three cheers for the ticket, but the audience had jumped hastily to the conclusion that he was extending an invitation of another kind.

Still he did not lose his head.

"I see, fellow citizens, he remonstrated with a smile, as soon as he could make himself heard again, "you understand me. Come on!"

He seized his hat and the meeting adjourned at once to the saloon on the floor below. He had made the hit of the evening.—Chicago Tribune.

Why the Colonel Was There.

Sensor Walhall tells a good story on himself which is none the less good by reason of the fact that the scene is laid during the late civil war. At that time the Senator was a colonel in command of a Confederate regiment and had brought his men into position, occupying a sunken road. A Federal battery was pouring shot and shell all around the adjacent territory. This fire, however, passed over the regiment hidden in the roadway, and they were to all intents and purposes out of danger.

On the high bank in front of the place where Col. Walhall stood was a giant pine tree about a dozen feet in circumference. Acting on the spur of the moment, the Colonel thought a fine opportunity was presented to give his men an object lesson in personal bravery without any risk to himself. Accordingly, he climbed up the bank and stood behind the pine tree. The next minute a shell struck the tree and sent a shower of bark and splinters flying in all directions, when Walhall overheard the following dialogue between two of his men lying in the roadway beneath:

"I tell you, Jim, this was a mighty good thing for the Colonel that the pine tree was there."

"Yes, Tom," replied the other, "but it hadn't been for the big tree the Colonel would never have been there in the first place."

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Morning in Georgia.

The lark was up to meet the sun, and carol for his lay; the farmer's son took down his gun and at him blazed away. The busy bee arose at five and buzzed the meadows o'er; the farmer's wife went for his hive, and robbed him of his store. The ant rose early his labors to begin; the greedy swallow flew that way and took his lordship in; Oh, bee, birds and ants, be wise, in proverb take no stock; like me refuse to rise until half past 8 o'clock.—Athens Banner.

Hollow glass bricks are now in use in Paris buildings. They are said to be both light and strong and to be excellent non-conductors of heat, owing to the air contained in them. They have been used for arches of ten-foot span.

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DEATH RESULTED FROM A FALL

Charles L. Brown, a Popular Railroad Man, Passes Away.

Lexington, Ky., May 5.—Charles L. Brown, local freight agent of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, died at 7 o'clock to-night. His death was the result of injuries received from falling into a cellar last night. He had been ill for more than a week, and while going out the back door tripped on the steps, and the cellar door being open he fell about six feet into the cellar, receiving fatal injuries. Mr. Brown was about fifty-seven years of age, a New Yorker by birth and served with distinction in a New York regiment during the war. He was General Freight Agent of the old Kentucky Central for twenty-six years and afterward became General Freight and Passenger Agent. He had been with the Chesapeake and Ohio about five years.

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ONE MORE VICTIM.

George Haag, Member of a Suicide Club, Kills Himself.

San Francisco, May 6.—When George G. Haag, twenty-five years of age, told the occupants of the Monarch boarding-house that he belonged to a suicide club and would kill himself when the proper time came they treated the matter as a joke. When he took a dose of strychnine last night at the rooms of Mrs. Nellie Parker, who was his spiritual guide to the other world, they realized he meant what he had said.

A Big Fish.

One of the most wonderful catches ever made with the rod and reel was accomplished by Mr. N. M. George, of Danbury, Conn., on Friday last. He was fishing for tarpon at Nigger Head, a few miles down the river, with A. F. Gonzalez as guide, when he got a strike. It did not take long to ascertain that the game was even bigger than the silver king, and Mr. George settled down to give the fellow a battle. The fish soon came to the surface. He was a monstrous sawfish, and he slashed his saw about in the water at a great rate. Mr. George handled the fish most skillfully, and proved that he is a thorough expert in the use of the rod and reel. The battle lasted one hour and twenty minutes, when the sawfish was brought to the gaff and killed. He measured 14 feet 8 inches in length and weighed 625 pounds. His saw was 40 inches in length and 5 in width, and his lips measured 56 inches. This gives Mr. George the record on the Caloosahatchee for the largest sawfish ever caught with rod and reel. Mr. George says he doesn't care to tackle another, and this is the conclusion of all the noted experts who have ever played a sawfish. This may read like a great fish story to people who know little of the great fishing on the Caloosahatchee River, but the facts as given are absolutely correct. The gentleman who came here from all parts of the world to catch tarpon are genuine sportsmen, and would scorn to have an unrecorded record made of any of their catches which are all made with rods and reels.—Tropical News.—Esquire.

Miss Lena Saunders, who has just died in New Orleans, went to that city seventeen years ago from Connecticut, and devoted herself to the work of Christianizing and civilizing the Chinamen of New Orleans. Her first intention was to work among the negroes, but the needs of the Chinese appealed to her more strongly, and her self-denying labors among them earned for her the admiration and respect of everybody in the city.

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LION LOOSE IN HIS OFFICE.

Dr. Knox and an Attendant Have a Struggle in Bridgeport.

Tom, an African lion, broke loose in the office of Dr. Louis G. Knox in Danbury, Conn., the other day, and attacked the doctor and his assistant. Tom is a brother to Bob Flinn's pet, which was killed by electricity several days ago. His father is a circus lion, Wallace. Tom is six months old. His owner, Dr. Knox, was formerly veterinary surgeon of the Barnum and Bailey show. He has a menagerie attached to his office, and in it are three young lions. They are being trained.

Tom had just come from the South and while he was being transferred from the cage in which he traveled from Atlanta the chain attached to his collar broke. The lion leaped toward an open window, but Dr. Knox caught him by the tail and dragged him back. Joseph Thomas, the attendant trainer, threw a chain around the lion's neck during the few seconds that Dr. Knox held the animal. The lion fought viciously and rolled over the floor with the two men clinging to him. The doctor's young daughter heard the noise and ran in with a strap. She made a noose of it and threw it over the lion's head. The other end she fastened to a ring in the wall. The doctor and his assistant were severely scratched during the fight.

POULTRY RAISING

And Dairying in the Southern States.

The poultrymen and the dairymen of the South have not been offered the best of encouragement the past year. The demand for their products has been large enough but at such unreasonably low prices. Eggs have sold for 10 and 15c per dozen all winter, while butter brought only 20c per pound. It would appear to some that it was utterly impossible to make a living at such prices, and yet when we consider the small cost that these articles of food can be produced for, we do not grumble at low prices, but rejoice that there is such ready market for eggs, butter, milk, etc. The farmers are improving their stock, and the prospects are very bright for a prosperous year. Plymouth Rocks are rapidly taking the place of dunghills, and Jersey cattle and Berkshire hogs are being bred extensively.—American Agriculturist.

Stole a Blacksmith Shop.

Some able-bodied burglars broke into a blacksmith's shop in Alpena, Mich., a few days ago and carried off two big anvils along with everything else of value in the place. The owner of the shop says the stuff the burglars got safely away weighed about two tons.

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ACTS AS A SPECIFIC
By Arresting the Monthly Action of the Organs.
It causes health, to bloom, and
to reign throughout the frame.
... It Never Fails to Regulate ...
"My wife has been under treatment of several
doctors, and has been suffering from
PAINFUL REGULATOR, and has been
suffering from it for years."
N. S. BRADFIELD, Birmingham, Ala.
Sold by druggists at \$1.00 per bottle.

Born, May 5th, to Peter R. Crockett
and wife, a ten pound boy.

The Harrodsburg Sayings says cut
worms destroyed twenty acres of
clover for Magee Brothers.

Wool is selling at from 10c to 12c
and our farmers are not very enthus-
iastic over the sheep industry in our
section.

W. P. Oldham & Co. on Thursday
sold their fine business house on South
Mayville street to Mrs. Jennie Robinson,
for \$8,000 cash.

George and Dad White and Ander-
son Hoover were arrested on the
charge of firing the oil well near Pres-
tonburg, as the result of which
\$5,000 worth of property was destroyed.
The men have confessed.

Lightning Hot Drops—
What a Funny Name!
Very True, but It Kills All Pain.
Sold Everywhere, Every Day.
Without Relief, There is No Pay.

The Kentucky Derby was run on
Wednesday. The race was won by
Ben Brush in 2:07 1/2, with Ben Eder a
close second and Semper Ego third.
Semper Ego is the property of Mr.
L. B. Ringold, late of this city, and
proved himself one of the fast ones.

The Millersburg Journal with M. O.
Willson editor and proprietor made its
first appearance last Saturday. It is
a six column four page paper with
a patent outside, independent political
and its make up is very neat.
We trust the Journal will be a success.

Harley & Leach, in their new rooms
over Denton, Guthrie & Co's., are
well located, have a good stock of
piece goods, and their business is
going right along. In addition to
making new suits they repair and
clean damaged suits, making them to
look as well as new. Damaged
or torn clothes are damaged so that the
damaged piece is almost invisible.
Prices for all work very reasonable.
Call on them in their new quarters
over Denton, Guthrie & Co's.

Mr. Samuel Greene filled the pulpit
at the Christian church Sunday even-
ing. A large audience composed in
great part of young people gave him
a most flattering respectful hearing.
His address was an appeal to young
people for a purer and truer life, and
the unaffected sincerity and polished
earnestness of the speaker lent his
forceful speech an added charm. Mr.
Greene is a young man of rare prom-
ise and has a career of great useful-
ness open to him if his life is spared
many years.

The old man who looks out at the
world with clear and healthy eyes can
not help feeling great gratification at
the thought that his children have in-
herited from him no weakness or ten-
dency to disease. The healthy old
man is the man who has throughout
his life kept his digestion good and
his blood pure. Not one in a thousand
does it. Germs go through the
healthy body without effect. Let
them once find lodgment or let them
find a weak spot, they will develop by
the million and the blood will be full
of them. Instead of giving strength
to the tissue, it will force upon them
inert matter, and the man will
lose flesh and the more susceptible he
is to disease. Dr. Pierce's Golden
Medical Discovery is the only medicine
that absolutely and infallibly
cures all blood diseases, and almost
all diseases are blood diseases. It
isn't a medicine for any one particular-
ly so-called disease. It is a medi-
cine for the whole body.

It forces out all the germs of disease
and replaces impurities with rich, red
blood.

Don't forget sale of Mt. Sterling
Improvement Company's building
lots and acreage to-morrow.

FREE SILVER COLUMN.

Through the courtesy of the
editors of this paper the friends of
Bimetallism will have the use of
this column which will be devoted
to the interest of the people and
silver. The Editors of the Advo-
cate are not responsible for any
thing that may appear in this
space.

The Democrats of this country
will have to decide on the 30th of
May whether we will support the
single gold standard or gold and
silver. We silver Democrats sup-
port the nominees of the party and
we are sorry we cannot say the
same thing for the gold party of the
State. We think that twenty years
trial of the single gold standard
ought to be sufficient to show to
any man who is a producer, whether
he be a manufacturer or agricultur-
ist, that twenty more years of
such financing will make slaves
of him and his children to the mon-
ey powers of this country. Who
are the advocates of the gold stan-
dard? Do they belong to the real
wealth owners of this land? We
say no. But they belong to that
class that are between the producer
and consumer and transfer the
profits that justly belong to the
producer to their own coffers.
Look at the sentiment that pervades
bank officials and all interested in
such enterprises in our State. One
of the most prominent cashiers in
writing to the New York Chamber
of Commerce says the gold party
defeated the Democratic party at
last November election and adds
that this same gold party would
rather elect the meanest Republi-
can in the State to an office if he
is for gold, than vote for the best
qualified Democrat in the country
if he is for silver. Now Democrats
this gold party wishes you to en-
dorse J. G. Carlisle for President,
this gentleman who has not changed
his mind in the last twenty years.
We give Mr. Carlisle's ideas in
1878 when he was with the people
and his views in 1895 when he is as-
sociated with that servant and tool of
the money powers of Europe.
Read Carlisle in 1878 and Carlisle
in 1895 and see if he is worthy of
your support.

CARLISLE IN 1878.

I shall not enter into an examination
of the causes which have continued to
depreciate the relative value of silver,
and to appreciate the value of gold
since 1873, but I am one of those who
believe that they are transient and
temporary in nature, and that when
they have passed away or have been
removed by the separate or united
action of the nation most deeply
interested in the subject, the old ratio
of actual and relative value will be re-
established on a firmer foundation
than ever. I know that the world's
stock of precious metal is none too
large, and I see no reason to apprehend
that it will ever become so. Mankind
will be fortunate, indeed, if the annual
production of gold and silver coin
shall keep pace with the annual
increase of population, commerce and
industry. According to my view of
the subject, the conspiracy which
seems to have been formed here and
in Europe to destroy silver by legisla-
tion and otherwise from three-eighths to
one-half of the metallic money in the
world is the most gigantic crime of
this or any other age.

The consummation of such a scheme
would ultimately entail more misery
on the human race than all the war,
pestilence and famine that ever oc-
curred in the history of the world.
The absolute and instantaneous
destruction of half the movable
property of the world, including
houses, ships, railroads and other ap-
plications for carrying on commerce,
while it would be felt more acutely
at the moment, would not produce any-
thing like the prolonged distress and
disorganization of society that must
inevitably result from the permanent
annihilation of one-half of the metallic
money of the world.

CARLISLE IN 1895.

The free coinage of silver and the
substitution of a new unit and measure
of value for the existing one in the
business transactions of the country
is not an ordinary experiment, which
can be safely tried to-day and aban-
doned to-morrow if found injurious,
because the immediate consequence
of such a step would be so far-reach-
ing and enduring that they would
continue to be felt for years after the
policy had been reversed. It is in-
cumbent, therefore, upon those who
insisted upon the adoption of this revo-
lutionary policy to show plainly and
conclusively in advance not only that
it would result in no injury, but that
it would be positively beneficial, for if
not positively beneficial the change
would at least be wholly useless.

The allegation, even if it were true,
that a great crime was surreptitiously

committed in 1873, or at any other
time, does not prove that the free
coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1
would be beneficial to the country un-
der the conditions now existing. But,
conversely, it is as true that the act
of February 12, 1873, which made the
gold dollar the unit of value and drop-
ped the standard silver dollar from the
coinage, was passed by stealth, or that
its purpose or effect was to deprive the
people of the use of any coin then
in use or then in existence in this
country.

THREATENED BY NEGROES.

Incendary Notices Posted at Courtland, Alabama.

Birmingham, Ala., May 9.—Six
leading merchants of Courtland, Ala.,
this morning found notices posted on
their doors signed "Whiteappers,"
which ordered them to comply with
certain demands which would be pub-
lished in the Courtland News. On the
gate-post of the home of the editor of
the paper was found a letter sealed
with blood. It contained a series of
demands from the negroes, among
which was that merchants cease
charging exorbitant prices, and that
landlords reduce rent to \$2 an
acre, and discontinue with "the nuisance,
the white tenant." Threats to use
dynamite, the torch and fire-arms for
failure to comply with the demands
were made. As Lawrence county has
a big negro population, and as a num-
ber of incendary fires have lately oc-
curred, much alarm is felt.

NATIONAL PROHIBITION CONVENTION.

Pittsburg Penn.—Reduced Rates Via Southern Railway.

On account of the National Prohibition
Convention, which will be held in
Pittsburg Penn., May 27th 29th, the
Southern Railway will sell tickets to
Pittsburg and return at rate of one
limited first class fare for the round
trip. Tickets will be sold May 24th,
25th, limited for return on or before
May 30th, 1896. For further infor-
mation regarding rates and schedules
call on any agent of the Southern
Railway, or Mr. J. L. Meek, T. P. A.
Knoxville, Tenn. 42-3.

What We Inherit

We are not to blame for. We cannot
be held responsible for the disposi-
tions and tendencies which we derive
from our ancestors, nor are we respon-
sible for the germs of disease which
may manifest themselves in our blood
as a heritage from former generations.
But we are responsible if we allow
these germs to develop into serious dis-
eases which will impair our useful-
ness and destroy our happiness. We
are responsible if we transmit to our
descendants the disease germs which
it is possible for us to eradicate by
the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla, the one
true blood purifier. This medicine has
power to make rich, red blood
and perfect health in place of dis-
ease.

Cut Worms.

Cut worms are devastating many
clover fields and other growing crops
in different parts of Fayette county.—
Lexington Gazette.

Hood's Sarsaparilla has over and
over again proved by its cures, when
all other preparations failed, that it
is the One True BLOOD Purifier.

Mr. E. Clark Kidd, of Lexington,
dealer in queensware is offering in-
cense in his lines. Goods
have been bought at prices so that
bargains are being offered. Mr.
Kidd has a fine line of queensware
and yet the prices make it cheap.
When in Lexington see his stock,
East Main Street.

When in Lexington go to Teddy
Mehan's Parlor Cafe, corner Lime-
stone and Water streets, near C. &
O. depot and get your meals. He
keeps everything first-class and the
best the market affords, and at rea-
sonable prices.

The J. T. Burghard Company,
Louisville, Ky., dealers in Carpets,
Lace Curtains, Oilcloths, Shades,
etc., are offering special induc-
ements to the trade of this and ad-
joining counties. This company
handle exclusive lines, and is one
of the largest concerns in the South.
You leave Mt. Sterling at 7 o'clock
in the morning, arrive at Louisville
at 11 o'clock, and leave the same
day at 5:30, giving an abundance
of time to do shopping and get
home the same day.

A revival meeting was closed at
Olympia last Friday night. A
Methodist church was to be organi-
zed with ten or twelve members.

PUBLIC SALE!

If not sold privately on or before
the

12th DAY OF MAY, 1896.

The Mt. Sterling Improvement Com-
pany will sell at public outcry to the
highest and best bidder the following
pieces of property:

One lot on the north side of East
Main Street, Mt. Sterling, Ky., known
as the Votts property; said lot front-
ing on Main Street, a distance of 159
feet more or less.

One lot on West Main Street, front-
ing on said street a distance of 71 feet,
and known as the Maupin lot.

One house and lot on South May-
ville Street, known as the McCloskey
house and the same now occupied by
O. Langhish & Son.

One lot on the East side of South
Mayville Street, directly South of
the Commercial Club Building, upon
which are situated the coal yards of
W. H. Bush & Son.

One house and lot on corner of
West Locust and Sycamore streets
and known as the Alex. Norris lot and
about 21 acres of land situated near
the Kentucky and South Atlantic
Railroad, and known as a part of the
old Dilard Harbinger farm, the said
21 acres being well set in bluegrass
and within the city limits.

At a meeting of the stockholders of
said company, it was deemed best to
sell this property and the directory
has so ordered. The sale will be
made at 2 o'clock p. m. on May 12,
and there will be no bidding.
"The longest pole will knock the per-
mission," the Company having de-
termined to quit business and liqui-
date. Any one desiring to look at
the property or any piece of it may
call upon the Secretary, H. Clay Mc-
Kenzie, who will take great pleasure in
showing the same or any part of it.
The terms will be made known on the
day of sale.

ADAM BAUM,
President.
H. CLAY MCKENZIE, Sec'y.

Property holders who desire to pre-
serve their buildings by the use of
paint are interested in securing the
very best quality. This will be found
only with the Hanna Paint Manufac-
turing Co's Green Seal Liquid Paints.
For sale by Thomas Kennedy, Mt.
Sterling, Ky. 40-51

For Sale or Rent.

I will sell privately my residence
property on East Main Street, for-
merly occupied by myself as a resi-
dence, or will rent same.
41-31 R. Q. DRAKE.

For Rent.

Three nice rooms, corner of High
and Sycamore streets.
42-4f Mrs. MINERVA WILLIAMS.

Quick-repair tubes in old hose
ties, make them better than new.
JOHN W. MILLER.

WOOL! WOOL!

Will pay the highest market
price for wool.

R. M. & T. K. Barnes.

You can obtain the Hanna Paint
Manufacturing Co's Green Seal Li-
quid Paints of Thomas Kennedy, Mt.
Sterling, Ky. These goods possess the
greatest possible durability of any
paint to be found, as the materials en-
tering into their manufacture are
strictly first-class in every respect.
40-31.

TO LOAN!

\$5,000: can get money in three
hours. Interest Reasonable.

A. Hoffman.

TO LOAN.

I will have \$2,500 to loan July
1st, for three or five years, rea-
sonable interest.

A. Hoffman, Agent.

Pure Bred Poultry.

Plymouth Rock eggs 75 cts, for set-
ting of flocks. J. T. HENRY,
Bethel, Ky.

The Mt. Sterling Floral Co. are al-
ways prepared to supply you with
first cut flowers, seeds and plants of
all kinds. 36-1f

WOOL! WOOL!

Will pay the highest market
price for wool.

R. M. & T. K. Barnes.

For Rent.

15 acres of good grass; 50 acres of
good grass; 75 acres of good grass.
All the above is well watered.

T. J. ANDERSON,
Mt. Sterling, Ky.



"BEE HIVE" STORE.



Owing to our
rush we have
not had the
time to name
our many
bargains this
week, but
this space will
be full of low
prices next
week.



Bee Hive Store,

S. NATHAN, Proprietor,
JOE. NATHAN, Manager,

Corner Main and Broadway, two
Doors East of Post-office,

MT. STERLING, KY.

